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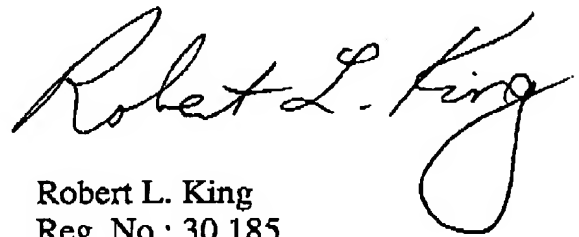
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In a communication mailed October 18, 2004, claims 1-21 were allowed. The Examiner provided reasons for allowance of the application. The reasons provided were a single sentence in which two means plus function recitals were provided from claim 11. Applicants point out that many of the allowed claims are not in a means plus function format. Additionally, it should be noted that significant other claim features in the allowed claims are not disclosed or suggested by the art made of record. Therefore, it is Applicants' position that the Examiner's quotation of partial recitals of an allowed claim was illustrative and the basis for novelty was not limited to a specific recital.

Respectfully submitted,



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